



Simcoe County Census 2016 Update

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Census 2016 Update



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2016

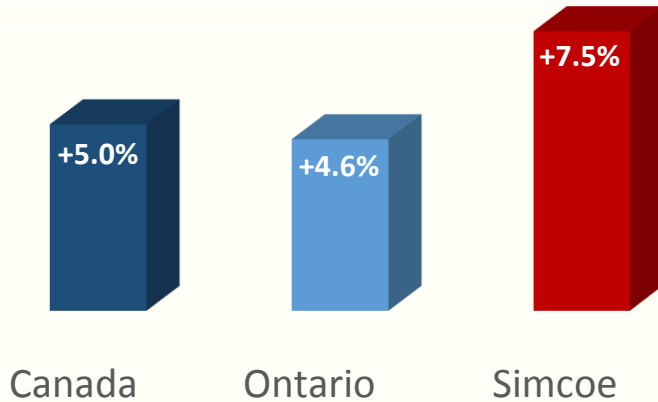
CENSUS • RECENSEMENT

- **2016 Census** is the most recent detailed enumeration of the Canadian residents.
- Response Rate was 98%!
- Statistics Canada has been releasing data during 2017 year
- Social Policy and Planning Research Team is working on the most recent updates for Simcoe County and its municipalities.

Population Growth

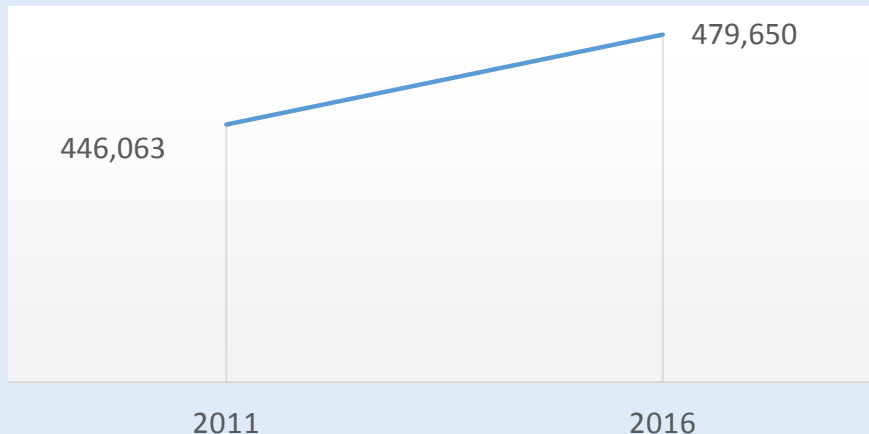


POPULATION GROWTH 2011-2016



- Simcoe County Population growing faster compared to Canada and Ontario overall

TOTAL POPULATION IN SIMCOE COUNTY
2011 AND 2016

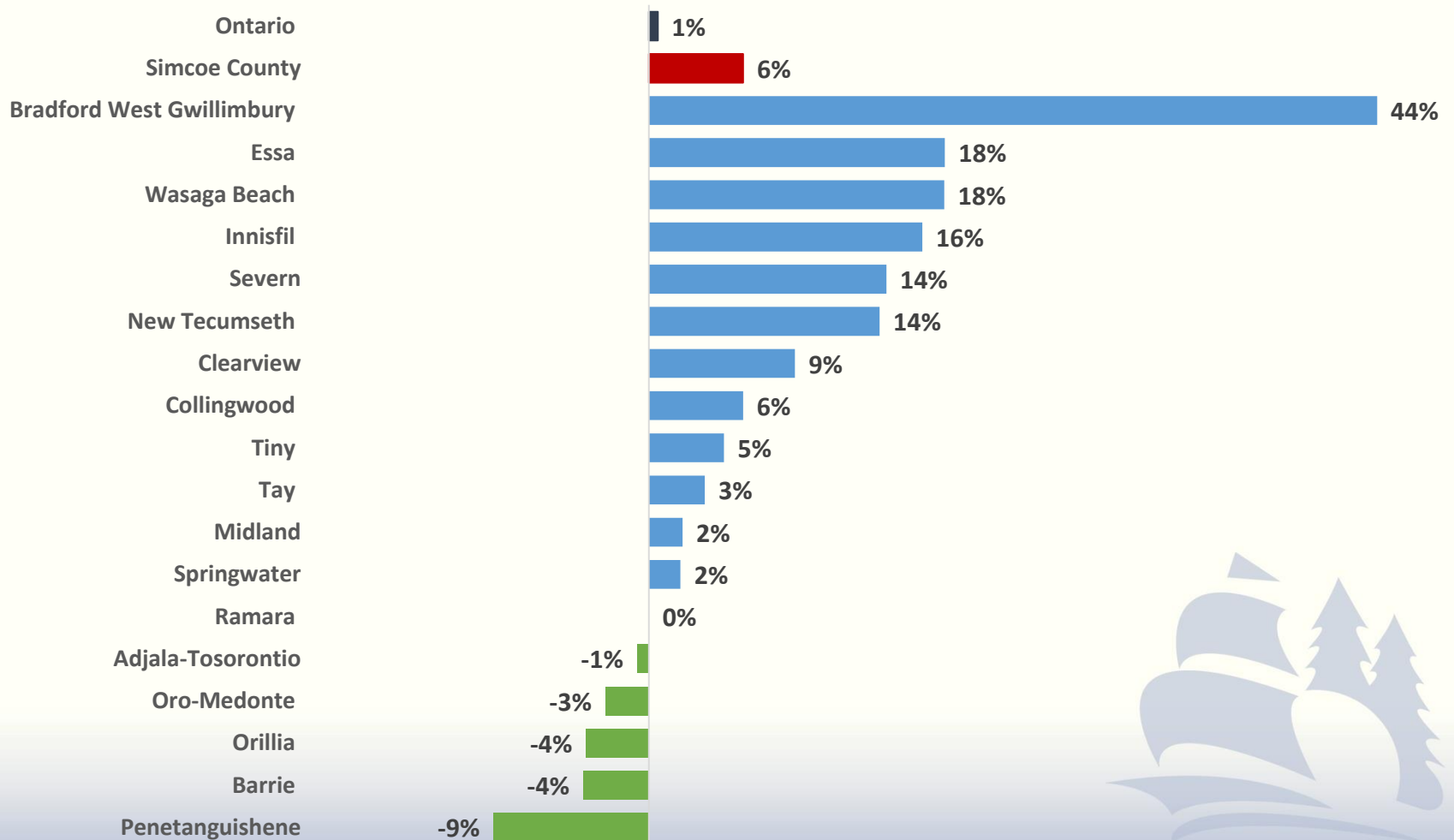


- Simcoe's population grew by 7.5% between 2011 and 2016, from 445,063 to 479,650

Children 0-6: Growth



Population Growth in Simcoe County and Ontario
0-6 years



Children 0-6: Share



- Overall, **7.3%** of the total population living in Simcoe County are **children aged 0-6 years**
- Simcoe's municipalities with the **highest proportion of children 0-6 years**:

10.2 %

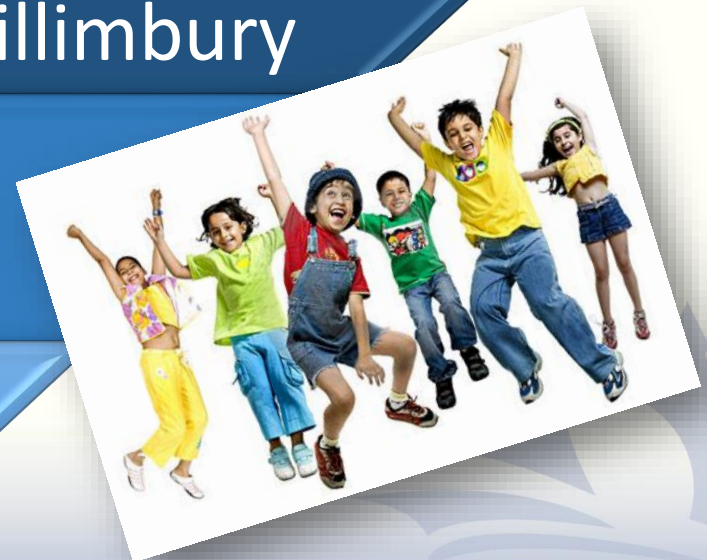
Bradford West Gwillimbury

8.2%

Essa

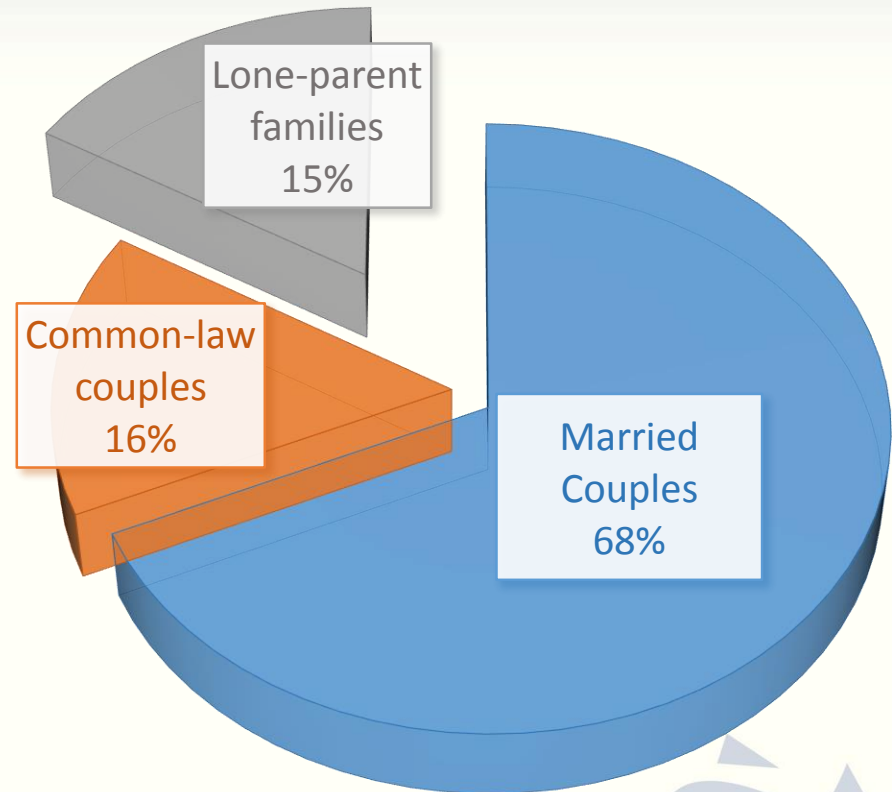
7.9%

Barrie



Census Families

- In 2016 the family structure remained approximately the same compared to 2011
- Out of total number of Census Families living in private households, 68% were married couples, 15% - common-law couples, and the rest 16% were lone-parent families

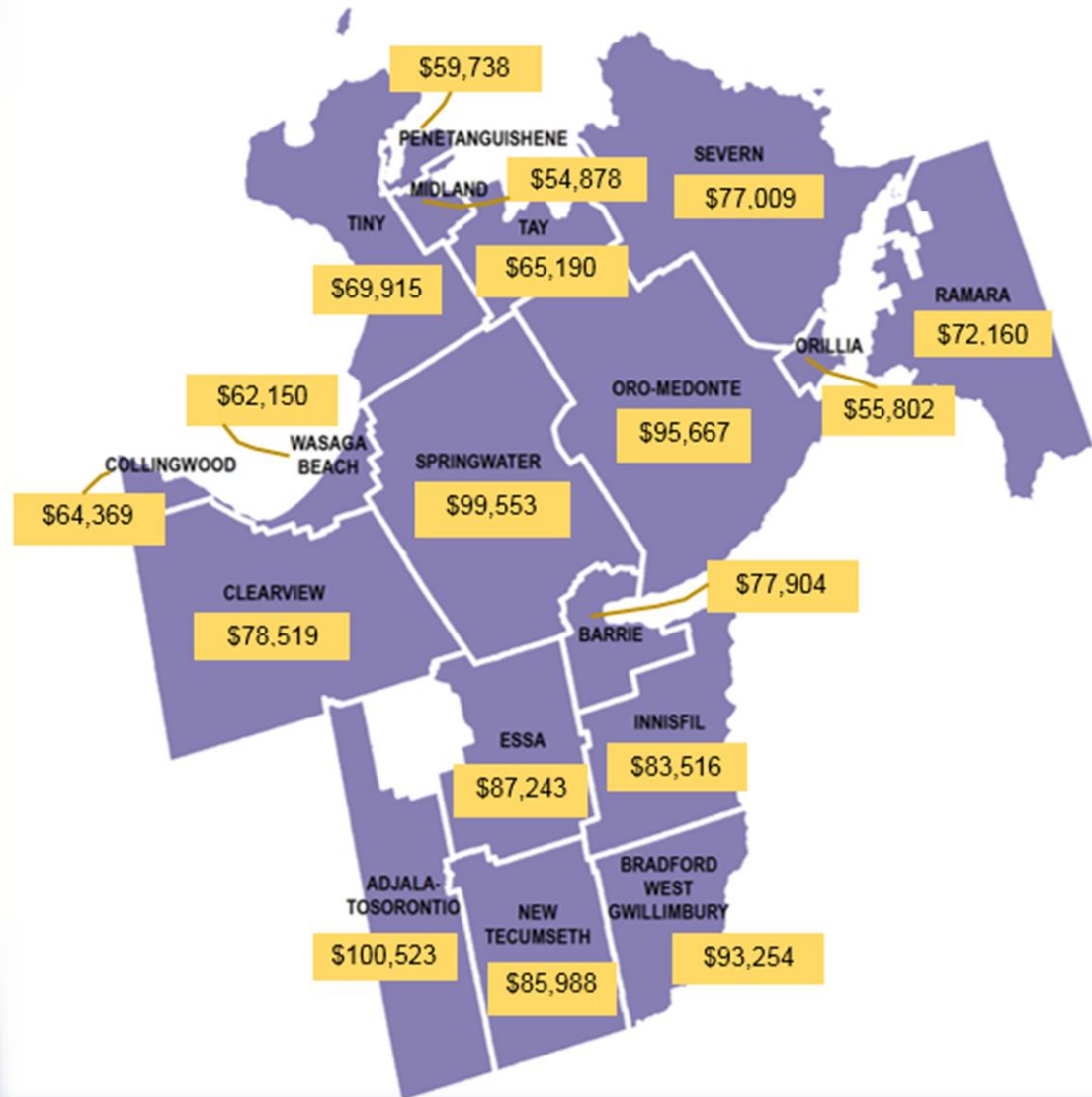


'Census family' is defined as a married couple and the children, if any, of either and/or both spouses; a couple living common law and the children, if any, of either and/or both partners; or a lone parent of any marital status with at least one child living in the same dwelling and that child or those children. All members of a particular census family live in the same dwelling. A couple may be of opposite or same sex.

Median Household Income



Median total Income of Private Households in 2015 (\$)	
Adjala-Tosorontio	\$100,523
Springwater	\$99,553
Oro-Medonte	\$95,667
Bradford West Gwillimbury	\$93,254
Essa	\$87,243
New Tecumseth	\$85,988
Innisfil	\$83,516
Clearview	\$78,519
Barrie	\$77,904
Severn	\$77,009
Ramara	\$72,160
Tiny	\$69,915
Tay	\$65,190
Collingwood	\$64,369
Wasaga Beach	\$62,150
Penetanguishene	\$59,738
Orillia	\$55,802
Midland	\$54,878
Mnjikaning First Nation	\$44,800
Christian Island (Combined)	\$32,608
Simcoe	\$76,489
Ontario	\$74,287
Canada	\$70,336

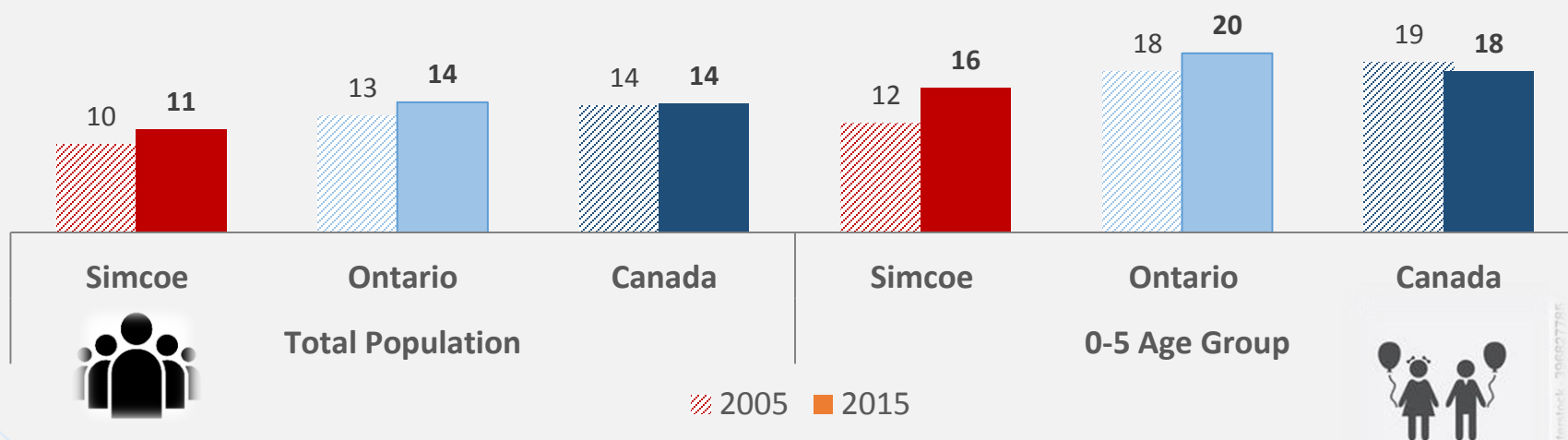


Prevalence of Low-Income



- Overall the prevalence of Low-Income in Simcoe County is lower than in Ontario and Canada, but slightly increased since 2005
- The prevalence of low-income among children 0-5 years old increased by 4% in 2015 compared to 2005, and is by 5% higher than the prevalence of low-income among the total population of Simcoe County

Prevalence of Low-Income (LIM-AT)



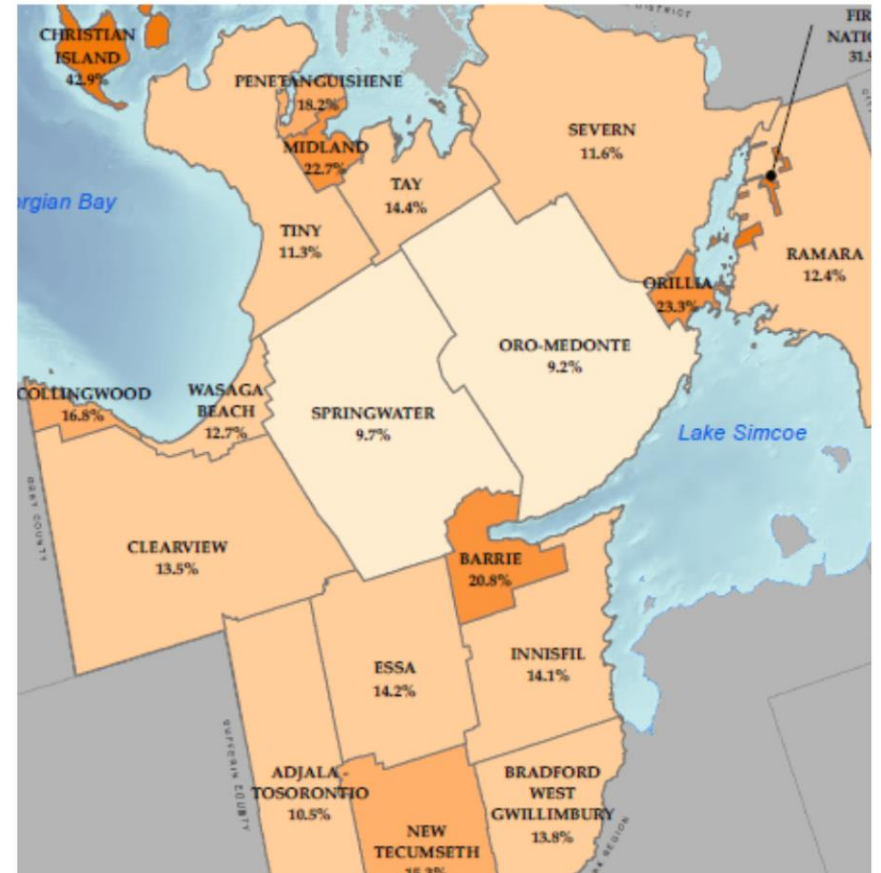
Prevalence of Low-Income is the proportion or percentage of units whose income falls below a specified low-income line. For the 2016 Census, the reference period is the calendar year 2015 for all income variables.

Low-Income and Lone-Parents



Individuals Living in Low-Income Households, 2016

Proportion of Lone-Parent Families, 2016



Language



- **89.8%** of the population of Simcoe County reported an official language (English or French) as being their mother tongue



- The number of people who reported a non-official mother tongue rose from 38,470 in 2011 to 47,750 in 2016. This is an increase of 9,280 people or **24.1%**.
- **Top-five** immigrant mother-tongues in Simcoe County in 2016:



1. Italian 5,755
2. German 4,645
3. Portuguese 4,580
4. Spanish 3,740
5. Polish 3,300



Immigrant Population



61,605 (13.1%)

Number of immigrants in Simcoe County in 2016.



4,110 Recent Immigrants

6.5% of total number of immigrants in Simcoe County in 2016



4,935 Refugees

8% of total number of immigrants in Simcoe County in 2016

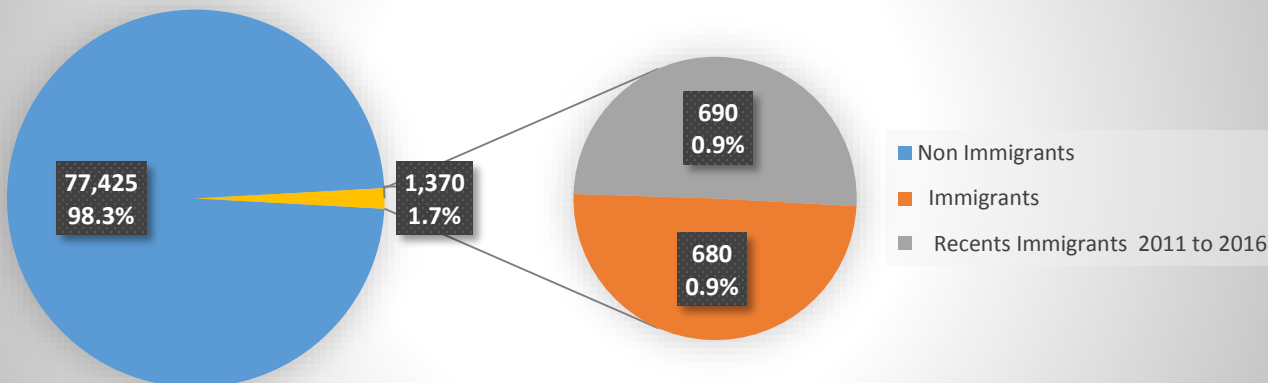
Immigrant – refers to a person who is, or who has ever been, a landed immigrant or permanent resident. Such a person has been granted the right to live in Canada permanently by immigration authorities.

**Immigrants who have obtained Canadian citizenship by naturalization are included in this group.*

Recent immigrant refers to an immigrant who first obtained his or her landed immigrant or permanent resident status between January 1, 2011 and May 10, 2016.

Refugee – includes immigrants who were granted permanent resident status on the basis of a well-founded fear of returning to their home country.

Population 0 to 14 Years in Simcoe County



Country of Birth



Immigrants

Top 3 Countries of Origin in Simcoe County in 2016



1. United Kingdom:
13,410 or 21.8% of
immigrants



2. Italy:
3,785 or 6.1% of
immigrants



3. Germany:
3,515 or 5.7% of
immigrants

Recent Immigrants

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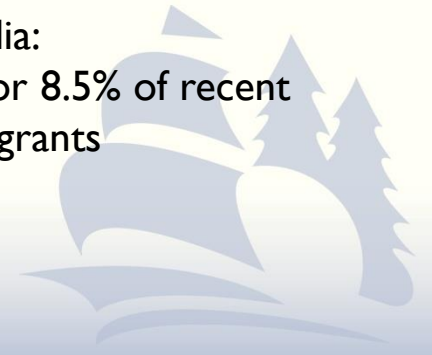
1. Philippines:
480 or 11.7% of recent
immigrants



2. China:
365 or 8.9% of recent
immigrants



3. India:
350 or 8.5% of recent
immigrants



More to come!



Remaining census data release schedule

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- Education
- Labour
- Journey to work
- Language of work
- Mobility and migration

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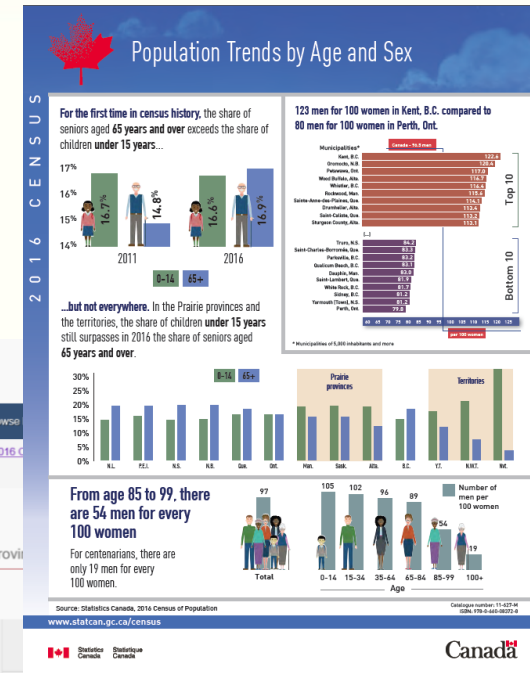
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Census Profile, 2016 Census

Simcoe, County [Census division], Ontario and Ontario [Province]

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Characteristic	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Population and dwellings						
Population, 2016	479,650	...	...	13,448,494	...	...
Population, 2011	446,063	...	...	12,851,821	...	...
Population percentage change, 2011 to 2016	7.5	...	...	4.6	...	...
Total private dwellings	206,549	...	...	5,598,391	...	...
Private dwellings occupied by usual residents	183,536	...	...	5,169,174	...	...
Population density per square kilometre	98.7	...	...	14.8	...	...
Land area in square kilometres	4,859.64	...	...	908,699.33	...	...
Age characteristics						
Total - Age groups and average age of the population - 100% data	479,650	235,805	243,845	13,448,495	6,559,390	6,889,105
0 to 14 years	79,100	40,475	38,625	2,207,970	1,131,615	1,076,355
0 to 4 years	24,430	12,540	11,895	697,360	357,300	340,055
5 to 9 years	27,045	13,095	13,945	756,085	397,220	358,865



Administrative & Community Reports



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SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

2016 Simcoe County Emergency Shelter Database Analysis

For Period of January 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016

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SOCIAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Centralized Waitlist Report

2015

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Census 2016:

Marital Status, Families and Households

Simcoe County Census Division and Municipalities (Census Subdivisions)

Social and Community Services

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Ontario Works Caseload and Economic Indicators Report

2016

20,000 HOMES | **SCATEH** (Simcoe County Alliance to End Homelessness) | **COUNTY OF SIMCOE**

Simcoe County 20,000 Homes Campaign

A national movement of communities, mobilizing together to house 20,000 of Canada's most vulnerable people by July 1, 2018. Locally led by the Simcoe County Alliance to End Homelessness (SCATEH) and supported by the County of Simcoe. Simcoe County Registry Week was January 13-20, 2016.

Why Did We Participate Locally?

- To connect people experiencing homelessness in Simcoe County to the appropriate services
- To track the progress of housing individuals at the local level for the national campaign goal
- To understand the big picture of need in our communities and the levels of vulnerability
- To raise awareness of issues of homelessness in our community
- To inform local policy and service delivery planning

How the Assessment Works

ACUTY
Is used to describe the complexity of the situation that an individual is facing, which is likely to have an effect on their housing stability.

The V-SWAT assessment questionnaire provides an ACUTY score based on survey participants' responses and provides a recommendation of housing intervention based on this acuity score.

35% scored with HIGH acuity Recommending an assessment for Housing First / Permanent Supportive Housing	20% scored with LOW acuity No housing intervention (through other types of referrals may be made)
45% scored with MODERATE acuity Recommending an assessment for Rapid Re-Housing	51% of HIGH acuity individuals are experiencing chronic homelessness

Campaign Details

- More than 50** Community agencies involved
- More than 120** Volunteers and professional staff supported people experiencing homelessness or precariously housing
- 292** Surveys completed

Demographics

- 22%** Self-identified as Aboriginal or having Aboriginal ancestry
- 16%** Have been in foster care
- 13%** Have been in jail/prison in the past 6 months

Age of Participants

17%	45%	30%	8%
16-24 years	25-34 years	35-44 years	45+ years

Data Limitations

Voluntary Survey - The data is reflective of the population that was reached on January 8 and 9, 2016, and not necessarily of the people experiencing homelessness in Simcoe County. Outreach workers efforts and seasonal trends need to be considered. Risk of interview bias - potential that the interviewer unintentionally influenced the responses, which can commonly happen by being sample or someone else's personal reporting data entry. Under-reporting - of emergency service respondents. In some instances, check marks were recorded instead of actual number of cases.

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- Thematic Maps
- Administrative data reports
- Community Engagement reports

The screenshot shows the website's header with navigation links: County of Simcoe | Economic Development Office | Tourism Simcoe County | Simcoe County Museum | Immigration Simcoe. Below this is the County of Simcoe logo and social media icons. A main navigation bar includes: HOME | ABOUT | CONTACT | Departments (dropdown). A secondary navigation bar includes: GOVERNMENT | SERVICES | COMMUNITY | BUSINESS | I WANT TO... A banner for Social and Community Services features silhouettes of a diverse group of people. Below the banner is a breadcrumb: Simcoe County > Community Data. A left sidebar lists DEPARTMENTS: Archives, Children and Community Services, Clerks, Corporate Communications, Customer Service, Economic Development, Emergency Management, Finance, Forestry, Human Resources, Information Technology, Library Co-operative, Long Term Care and Seniors Services, Municipal By Law, Museum, Ontario Works, Paramedic Services, Planning. The main content area is titled 'Community Data and Reports' and 'Simcoe County Local Data'. It features three bar charts: Population Chart, Language and Immigration Chart, and Income and Earnings Chart. Below the charts are source notes: Source: Statistics Canada, 2006, 2011 Census of Population; Jurisdiction of COS: County of Simcoe, not including separated Cities of Barrie and Orillia; Where no data is displayed, the data has been suppressed for data quality reasons; Numbers may not add due to rounding. A list of publications includes: 2016 Census and 2011 Census and National Household Survey Bulletins. A right sidebar contains links: WASTE COLLECTION IMPACTS, NEWSROOM, CUSTOMER SERVICE, CAREERS, WASTE SCHEDULE, SIMCOE COUNTY MAPS, BID OPPORTUNITIES, and FAQs.